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Applicant(s): L. Gabele

Title: STERILE CONTAINER

Filed: January 25, 2002

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on December 22, 2003. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.